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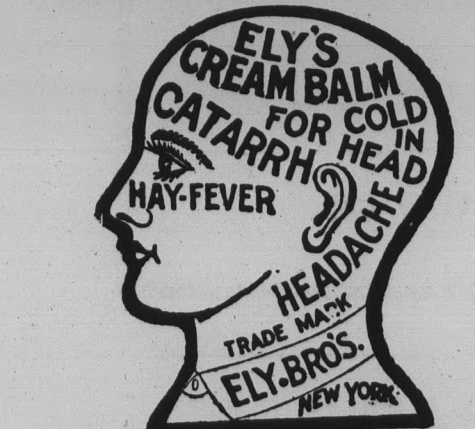
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## A DESERT PERIL.

The Deadly Clear Water of the Death Valley Pools.

"One of the chief dangers to travelers in crossing such dreary and arid wastes as the far famed Death valley arises from ignorance as to the character of the infrequent pools of water along the route," said a mining engineer of Denver.

"The tenderfoot, growing faint under a blazing sun, will want to quench his intolerable thirst when he comes to a shallow hole whose water, clear as crystal, seems absolutely pure. He can with difficulty be restrained from drinking it by some experienced companion, who knows that one draft will probably cause serious if not fatal illness. This water, for all its seeming purity and clearness, is loaded with arsenic, and many a man has lost his life by its use.

Curiously enough, the only water in the desert there is safe to drink is foul looking and inhabited by bugs and snakes. When you come to a muddy pool on the surface of which insects are disporting themselves, however repulsive it may be, both to the eye and palate, you may drink it with impunity, despite its looks, as a man will who is crazy with thirst produced by the burning sands and merciless sun."

—Baltimore American.

## THE PALISADES.

Their Counterpart Cannot Be Found In All the World.

The edge of the world, if such a thing may be, lies hardly a rifle shot away from one of the centers of the world itself—the city of New York.

The Palisades, those mighty walls whereon the annals of the centuries are graven—what an edge of the world their lip presents to him who comes, perhaps at night, to their rough heven elevation! In no other place other than this near proximity to man and one of his greatest cities could a physical feature so profoundly vast and impressive be so hidden from the world. Their counterpart cannot be found in all the world, and yet the Palisades are almost unexploited and unknown to the globe circling, sight hunting public that yearly traverses the continents or seas to gaze at things less wonderful in some distant field of nature's marvelous achievements, for little does any one know of these titanic walls which have merely seen them from the Hudson. Were they somewhere off in a land comparatively inaccessible, reached by a transcontinental thread of steel, the guidebooks would be rich in their pictured grandeur and man would revel far to explore them.—Philip Verrill Nichols in Harper's Magazine.

**Superstitions of Stage Folk.**

A stock actor is apt to have a prejudice against decorating or fixing up his dressing room. He is certain to get his notice shortly after he puts his pictures on the wall and otherwise makes the place comfortable and homelike. Actors and managers both have a horror of the witch lines in "Macbeth," and they never will allow them to be spoken, as it means a fire in the playhouse before the twelfth month is over. Sir Henry Irving was a firm believer in this superstition, and he would never allow the faithful lines to be read when he was playing the tragedy. I know many players who fear to have any one pass them on a stairway when they are entering a theater. There are many actors who make the sign of the cross before they make an entrance. —Chicago Tribune.

**Where They Forgot.**

"Once, in the rooms of the Fabian society overlooking the fresh green slopes of the Law Court gardens in London, I heard George Bernard Shaw express his thoughts about English public schools," said a Chicago editor. "He attacked these schools. He said you learned nothing in them. He told of a young peer to whom a certain master at Eton said:

"I am ashamed of you, unable to work out so simple a problem! Your younger brother did it correctly an hour ago."

"I am sorry, sir," the boy replied, "but you must remember that my brother hasn't been at Eton as long as I have." —Washington Star.

**Got Full Weight.**

"Sir," says the aggrieved customer, approaching the bookseller, "I have called to express my opinion of your business methods."

"What is wrong?" deferentially asked the bookseller.

"I bought a set of Shakespeare from you last year. It weighed fourteen pounds. Yesterday I ordered a duplicate set for my son's library, and it only weighs thirteen pounds and nine ounces. I'd have you understand, sir, that there is a city ordinance against short weights."

Thoroughly humbled, the bookseller made up the shortage with seven ounces of miscellany.—Exchange.

**Anxious For More.**

An expert golfer had the misfortune to play a particularly vigorous stroke at the moment that a seedy wayfarer skulked across the edge of the course. The ball struck the trespasser and rendered him briefly insensible. When he recovered a five dollar bill was pressed into his hand by the grateful golfer. "Thanky, sir," said the injured man after a kindling glance at the money, "an' when will you be playin' again, sir?" —Argonaut.

**The Snake Bite.**

"So Will Bill died of a snake bite? What did he get bit?"

"Oh, th' snake didn't bite Bill. Th' snake bit Tough Tompkins, an' Tompkins drank two quarts of th' remedy an' then shot him." —Julius's Library.

## A Frost In July.

By C. B. Lewis.

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When Miss Mary Cleves, forty years old and aunt of Eileen Cleves, not yet quite half those years, accepted the responsibility of acting as chaperon to the young lady for a few weeks' stay in the Berkshire hills she determined to do her duty at all costs.

They had scarcely reached the hotel selected when that duty crossed her. Paul Clifford, the artist, confronted her. The young people had many mutual friends in town, but had never been introduced.

In any hotel in the Berkshires, the Catskills or on the seashore a handsome young girl and a bachelor artist of note, with romance still leashed in his soul, are bound to meet sooner or later if given half a show.

Such meetings come about by accident, or Providence takes a hand, and the first thing they know they have introduced themselves to each other and are talking about art and motor trips through Europe.

Aunt Mary understood this; also that she was there to prevent it. She would insist on formality to the bitter end. She did insist. Even when she and Miss Eileen in walking out one day were suddenly confronted by a snake as much as nine inches long and screamed and the artist came running up and saved their lives from the monster she stood on formality and insisted that her charge do the same. The artist hero was dismissed with a formal bow and went his way with an odd sense of their ingratitude gnawing at his heart.

Three or four days later, however, a family with whom he was well acquainted in the city arrived, and a formal introduction took place. This made things all right in one way and all wrong in another.

He was now privileged to lift his hat and say good morning, but the old maid looked upon him as a possible lover and added many precautions. She was polite, but she was also vigilant. The artist probably hoped, as another man would in his place, that in time she would thaw out, and he held himself ready day and night for more heroic deeds.

Around the second story of the hotel ran a veranda, and the three parties in the case had rooms opening on to this promenade. One afternoon as the aunt was parading up and down the veranda she noticed that the artist was in his room writing a letter. She at once suspected that it was a note to be passed to Miss Eileen at the first favorable opportunity.

The chaperon was disturbed, but determined. She promenade clear around the house, and upon her return she beheld a sheet of note paper lying on the floor. She also saw that the artist had stepped out of his room. A draft had caught up the letter he was writing and drawn it through the open window.

Aunt Mary was a woman of the sternest principles. She reasoned it out in a moment that she had no moral right to that note. It was for her to ignore its existence and continue her promenade, but at once her stern principles took a tumble.

She stooped, seized the sheet and fled to her room, which was next to that of her niece. Even then it was not too late to save her lifelong principles unscathed. She could have torn the sheet into fragments before reading the lines written thereon. She could, but she didn't. She read even to the last word, and a moment later she was in the room of her niece, saying: "I suspected it from the first! He is a cold blooded wretch!"

"Who is, auntie?" was the natural query.

"Mr. Clifford! I have found him out just in time. Oh, the perfidy of it! Just the insults heaped upon us! Read that. No, let me read it."

And, holding the half finished letter in her left hand and using the right forefinger to punctuate the air while she held her figure in tragic pose and spoke from the depths of her indignation, she read:

Dear Jim—I have seen both of them. The old one is no good and badly out of repair. Wouldn't take her as a gift. Guess she was one of the first ones made. The other is a clipper, with heaps of go in her. Decided bargain, and I shall close around here like a cat, and you ought to see her scot on the level! The old one—

That was as far as the artist had written when he left the room, and the breeze came in and toyed with the sheet and sent it to the feet of the woman who had a duty to do. She finished reading and maintained her pose for half a minute and then solemnly said: "I found it on the veranda. The wind brought it to me. It came from his room. I saw him as he was writing it."

"Do you mean that Mr. Clifford wrote this?" asked the young lady.

"I do. Was ever villainy more completely unmasked! He has seen both of us. The old one is no good and badly out of repair. I am the old one. I am badly out of repair."

"But, auntie—"

"Don't interrupt me. Wouldn't take her as a gift! Guess she was one of the first ones made. This about me—about your own aunt! Oh, the crafty, sneaking villain!"

"But why should Mr. Clifford write such things about you? He is surely a gentleman, and there must be a mistake somewhere."

"And he refers to you," continued the aunt without heeding the question.

"he refers to you as a clipper with heaps of go in her. You are a decided bargain. You climb hills like a cat. You scot on the level! The man ought to be driven from the hotel."

"He never wrote it!" exclaimed the girl. "He never meant you nor me. There is some awful mistake here. I never saw his handwriting, but I'll—"

"Wait right here!" hoarsely commanded the aunt. And, with the letter in her hand, she went down to the office to consult the register. She was absent ten minutes, and during this interval Miss Eileen heard a man's steps on the veranda and peeped out to see the artist looking about as if he had lost something. When the aunt returned she had the light of victory in her eyes.

"The writing is the same," she announced. "He would be convicted in any court in the land. I am an old one and badly out of repair, and you are a clipper and climb hills like a cat. If he doesn't leave the hotel this evening we shall start for home in the morning."

"But I won't go until we are sure about it," replied the young lady, with spirit.

"Oh, we'll be sure enough about it. Meanwhile at dinner table we'll give Mr. Paul Clifford the coldest snubbing a man ever received. If you don't assist me I'll telegraph your father. We'll see if he will put up with his daughter being called a cat and a decided bargain. I will do the snubbing, and you simply maintain your dignity. Out of repair, am I? We'll see if he isn't worse off."

The artist missed his half finished epistle, made a search for it and finally indited another and mailed it away. He came down into the parlors ten minutes before dinner, hoping for a word or two with Miss Cleves.

She blushed at sight of him and blushed still harder as he advanced, but she stood on her dignity—that is, she turned her head away—and in some confusion he passed her and remarked to the aunt that it had been a fine day. Miss Cleves wheeled about like a machine, and after fixing him like a cold glare lasting thirty seconds she coldly replied:

"Sir, you have made a mistake."

"The artist fell back. He almost fell over himself in doing so. So far as he was concerned he might have fallen over the hotel and not been aware of the fact. It was a summer frost, and it nipped him hard. Had he turned once more toward the girl he would have found her now as dignified as before, but a look of something like pity in her eyes.

Mr. Clifford did not enter the dining room. Prostitutes take away a man's appetite. He went out into the dusk and sat down on a boulder and imagined that he was Sherlock Holmes, and after an hour or so he figured things out.

Then he sent a telegram to a friend in the city—a friend who knew the Cleves family well. That night he was missed from parlors and verandas. He could play and sing and recite, and there were many inquiries for him. When they were addressed to Miss Cleves her reply was:

"Excuse me, but I don't know the party."

There was a new arrival at the hotel next forenoon. He was dressed with the artist for half an hour, and then he hid him forth and found Miss Cleves seated in a grotto, still wondering how any man on earth dared to write to another that she was an old one. The interview which followed was not for the first fifteen minutes. Then it gradually cooled off, though at regular intervals for the next half hour the woman in the case rose to her feet and exclaimed:

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## Family Secrets.

A father complains that his little six-year-old girl is too talkative. He says: The worst of it is when we have visitors she is continually making mistakes of the worst sort, mistakes that tend to rattle the dry bones of the family skeleton in the cupboard. Recently she allowed her tongue to run away with her, as usual, the result of which was that she very much embarrassed both her father and mother, although the guests seemed delighted.

I had a very serious talk with her and impressed upon her, or tried to, that she must not tell any family secret. The next time we had company she was permitted to come to the table only by promising that she wouldn't utter a word.

She behaved beautifully and had nothing to say until the dessert was about to be taken away. Then her lips began to quiver, and finally she burst into tears.

"Why, what's the matter, darling?" her mother asked.

"I—I want some more ice cream. If that isn't a family secret," she wailed between sobs.—London Telegraph.

## An Unexpected Burns Lecture.

John Augustus O'Shea used to be in considerable request as a lecturer on his military experiences. Once, at Dumfries, he came upon the platform wearing in his buttonhole a daisy, which he quietly removed and held up. "Ladies and gentlemen," he began, "I hold in my hand a 'wee modest flower' I plucked this evening from the grave of Robert Burns." The audience was interested and became impatient of the national poet. Then, suddenly recollecting that Burns had nothing to do with his subject, he stopped abruptly. "And now," said Mr. O'Shea, "I will proceed to relate my experiences in the war."

But by this time he had thoroughly engaged the sympathies of his listeners, who would not hear of another subject. "Never mind the war, sir," they vociferated; "give us Robert Burns!" And he did. This extemporaneous oration became one of the most popular of Mr. O'Shea's lectures.—London Chronicle.

## Lord Penzance's Acquaintance.

When the late Lord Penzance was plain Mr. Wilde, he once took an early morning stroll round Covent Garden market. There he entered into conversation with an old man of genial aspect who had just made a purchase of a geranium. Mr. Wilde soon found that the stranger was an enthusiastic amateur gardener, and the pair had an interesting chat on horticultural topics as they walked toward Oxford street. Suddenly the fare in a passing hansom cab signaled to the driver to pull up, and within the vehicle Wilde saw his friend, Sergeant Ballantine. Bidding the old man adieu, Wilde entered the cab.

In surprised accents Ballantine exclaimed, "How on earth did you come to know that man?"

"Picked him up just now in Covent Garden market," said his companion.

"Well, Wilde," the sergeant remarked, "your new acquaintance is Calcraft, the hangman!" —London Academy.

## Annoying the Passengers.

"There used to be in the days of the southern states," said a military man, "a railroad that was notorious for its slowness. This line was so slow that the people took to tamponing it in the press. Thus one Memorial day a planter wrote to the Register, the leading paper of his district:

"The Editor of the Register: 'Dear Sir—There is no way to put a stop to the tamponing of the line of the railroad. For instance, yesterday an aged veteran with a wooden leg kept pace with the afternoon express all the way from Paint Rock to Nola Chucky and annoyed the passengers exceedingly, going from one open window to another with his inopportune salutations. "VOX POPULI."

## The Story of a Medicine.

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A glass bottle of its ingredients, printed on every bottle-wrapper, will show that it is made from the most valuable medicinal roots found growing in our American forests. All these ingredients have received the highest endorsement from the leading medical authorities. For instance, the following is a translation from the German of a letter addressed to the Doctor as above. These endorsements, copied from standard medical books of all the different schools of practice, it will be found that the ingredients composing the "Golden Medical Discovery" are advised not only for the cure of the above mentioned diseases, but also for the cure of all catarrhal, bronchial and throat affections, accompanied with catarrhal discharges, hoarseness, sore throat, ingrowing, or hanging corns, and all those wasting affections which, if not promptly and properly treated are liable to terminate in consumption. Take Dr. Pierce's Discovery in time and persevere in its use until you give it a fair trial and it is not likely to disappoint. Too much must not be expected of it. It will not perform miracles. It will not cure consumption in its advanced stages. No medicine will. It will cure the affections that lead up to consumption, if taken in time.

## The Land of the Free.

"There's eight nations represented in this ward of ours," said Mr. Holloran to his wife on his return from a political meeting. He began to count them off on his fingers.

"There's Irish, Frinch, Eretallians, Poles, Germans, Roossians, Greeks an'—"

Mr. Holloran stopped and began again:

"There's Irish, Frinch, Eretallians, Poles, Germans, Roossians, Greeks an'—"

"an' ain't it queer I disremember the other wan? There's Irish, Frinch"—

"Maybe 'twas Amerikans," suggested Mrs. Holloran.

"Sure, that's it," said her husband. "I couldn't think 'You'd's Compan-

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## New License Ordinances And What they Stand For.

The new license ordinances passed by the City Trustees last Wednesday evening look good to a majority of our business men and we are surprised that their passage encountered any opposition whatever. But there was opposition and it came from what we conceived to be an unexpected quarter. Its principal opponents have heretofore gone on record as favoring civic pride, taxation and municipal improvements. This license tax is a revenue-producer on an equitable basis and as we will need funds, and need them badly, too, to beautify our Plaza, extend the electric light and street sprinkling service and improve the sanitary conditions of the town, all of which takes money, we take it that no one favoring a New Sonoma should balk the City Trustees in their efforts to give us these essentials. We must have public improvements and the wherewithal to carry them through. The license tax ordinances passed by the City Trustees last Wednesday evening will help us in improving the town without imposing a burden on any one and will assist the Trustees in keeping Sonoma in line with other progressive towns.

It has been charged that the new ordinances were inspired by spite. We do not think so, as the license tax imposed by their provisions affect all alike. It is simply a case of securing revenue for public improvements for which our people have long been clamoring and applying a remedy for raising it. This and nothing more. If it were otherwise the INDEX-TRIBUNE could be depended upon to voice its disapproval without fear and without favor.

### Searching for Evidence.

Justice of the Peace Small made a flying midnight automobile visit to Santa Rosa Wednesday to consult with the District Attorney about the case of Luigi Lea, who is in custody on suspicion of stabbing Giacomo Rigoni. He returned at three o'clock Thursday morning and after a short rest took the morning train for San Francisco. He carried with him the blood-stained pocket knife found in the room of the accused man by Deputy Sheriff Joe Ryan shortly after the tragedy. The knife was taken to an expert chemist for microscopic examination to determine whether the trace of blood on the blade of the knife was human or otherwise.

Judge Small returned home on the morning train but the result of his visit is a dead secret.

### Death of an Ex-Resident.

James H. Humphreys, for a number of years the station agent of the Southern Pacific at Schellville and the Northwestern Pacific at Vineburg, died at his home in Oakland last Sunday, at the venerable age of 83 years and 7 months.

After retiring from the service of the railroad company the deceased with his family took up his residence here and later on went to Oakland to live. He was a widower but is survived by a family of grown children. He was a Mason of many years standing and the funeral took place here Tuesday morning under the auspices of Temple Lodge, No. 14, the remains being interred in Mountain Cemetery.

Mr. Humphreys was a man highly respected for his many fine traits of character and the life he lived was as useful as it was long.

### Personal and Social.

Mrs. William Boucher of Canon City, Colorado, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Robt. P. Hill of Eldridge.

The performances of the Frank Cooley Company in Union Hall on Thursday and Friday evenings drew crowded houses.

D. D. Davison, an old pioneer resident of this place but who is now residing on his fine ranch near Healdsburg, visited his sister, Mrs. Wm. Burris of this city, last Thursday.

We acknowledge with thanks complimentary tickets to the annual excursion and picnic of the Swiss Relief Society to be held tomorrow at Schuetzen Park near San Rafael. Quite a delegation of our Swiss residents will take in the picnic which is given for the benefit of a worthy cause.

### Catholic Church Services.

Services will be held in St. Francis Church tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. and in St. Mary's Church, Golden Gate at 8:30 a. m.

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### Off for the Mines.

Dr. A. M. Thomson, accompanied by ex-County Surveyor Press Davis of this place, left for the Mt. Grant mining district, near Hawthorn, Nevada, Tuesday morning. The mines in which they are interested are three days travel from this place by rail, stage and shank's mare, and barring unforeseen delays Messrs. Thomson and Davis ought to have arrived at their destination in the Lapien meadows on Thursday, although the road and trail leading to the mines from Hawthorne, via the Big Injun mine, is said to be strewn with wagon spokes and human bones.

One section of the trail leading to the mines is almost a perpendicular climb of 1,800 feet and taxes one's bellows to the utmost to tackle it a-foot, which is about the safest and speediest way of getting over the ground after taking to the trails.

The mines, which embrace several placer claims, are located but a few miles distant from the easterly base of Mt. Grant, a lofty peak reaching up into the sky over 12,000 feet above sea level.

Mr. Davis, who has had considerable experience in mining in Alaska, accompanied Dr. Thomson on his journey, to prospect the mines and devise ways and means of working the claims with profit, which is one of the problems in that rapacious country.

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Chairman J. K. Bigelow of Finance Committee Appeals to People of Sonoma Valley.

Mr. J. K. Bigelow, chairman of the finance committee of the forthcoming celebration to be held here September 9th, publishes the following appeal to the people of this valley:

"On the 9th of September a celebration will be given by the entire population of Sonoma Valley, and to make this celebration a success money is needed.

To-day we start active work in this line and we look to the people of the entire valley to come to our aid with a liberal hand.

We intend to have a grand barbecue and street parade led by a band of fifty pieces and everything else in proportion, and to do this we must ask every one to contribute, even if it is only a small amount.

Each and every contribution will be acknowledged in the newspapers of Sonoma, and we look to see the name of every one on this roll of honor.

City Marshal Albertson will have charge of the Sonoma district, Mr. M. P. Akers will have charge of Schellville and Mr. Chas. J. Poppe will have the upper end of the valley, and will issue receipts for any and all contributions.

Now remember, that we look to you all for aid and this celebration will be a great credit to this valley we are sure, and that on the 10th of September you will all say that the celebration was the best ever held, and that we are glad that Sonoma Valley upheld her name for hospitality and a good time.

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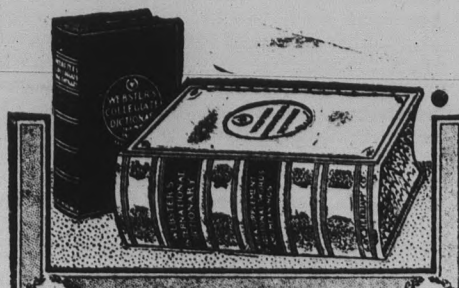
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Estate of Camille Fortune Aguilon, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Norman J. Heggie, Administrator of the estate of Camille Fortune Aguilon, deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at his residence near Agua Caliente, Sonoma County, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the said County of Sonoma, State of California.

NORMAN J. HEGGIE,  
Administrator of the estate of Camille Fortune Aguilon, deceased.  
Dated at Sonoma, Calif., July 10th, 1908.  
H. P. MATHEWSON, Esq., Attorney for estate.  
Date of first publication July 11, 1908.

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## CITY TRUSTEES HOLD ANIMATED SESSION.

Much Vivid Oratory Is Indulged In Over License Ordinances, Which Finally Pass.

The August meeting of the City Trustees, which was held for the first time in their handsome meeting rooms in the New City Hall, Wednesday evening, was an animated one and much vivid oratory was indulged in over the new license ordinances when put upon their final passage.

After the minutes had been read and the usual monthly bills allowed the several new license ordinances introduced by Trustees McDonnell and Quarantoli at an adjourned meeting held last month, came up for final passage. These ordinances repeal the saloon license ordinance passed one year ago by the Hotz Board of City Trustees and make numerous and sweeping changes in our local license laws. The saloon license as doubled and passed by the "reform" Board remains the same but a number of unfair and objectionable features are eliminated by the new ordinance, which licenses among other things slot machines and card devices, upon the payment of \$10 per quarter for the former and \$3.50 per quarter for the latter. The business licenses are raised slightly all along the line and a number of businesses such as the printing offices, the undertaker and other enterprises that have heretofore escaped their just proportion of the license tax, are compelled to "pay the mark," and be it said to their credit they took their medicine without a grimace.

The meeting room was crowded with spectators, a number of whom took the floor for and against the measure.

Messrs. Fred Duhring and Will Cleve voiced their opposition to the ordinance on the ground that the license tax discriminated against the merchants of the town. They admitted the town needed additional revenue for public improvements and favored raising the assessment on real estate within the city limits and securing additional revenue in that manner.

Trustee Wagoner likewise took the floor against the license tax and also favored raising the assessment on town lots and acre tracts. The Trustee put up a pretty good talk but he is inconsistent. One year ago he advocated and cast his vote for a license tax that really discriminated against a certain class of license payers, while the other night he raised his hands in holy horror at the mere mention of license unless it made a noise like "licker."

The ordinances had their advocates, too, and were defended by L. Breitenbach, H. H. Granice and P. Yenni, who thought the legislation embraced in their provisions wise and equitable.

Trustee McDonnell and Mayor Breitenbach each in turn took the floor and advocated the passage of the new ordinance and defended their legislation with asperity.

After the Trustees and spectators had expressed their opinions pro and con the ordinance were passed by the following vote: Ayes—McDonnell, Quarantoli and Breitenbach. Noes—Wagoner and Bates.

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## The Republican Primary Election.

A call for a Republican primary election to be held in the New City Hall in this place has been issued by local county committeeman A. Beretta. The election will take place next Tuesday afternoon between 12 and 6 o'clock. Three delegates will be chosen to attend a County Convention to be held in Santa Rosa on Monday, August 17th, which will nominate two candidates for Superior Judges, two Assemblymen and three Supervisors. Eighteen delegates to each of the State and Congressional District Conventions to be held in Oakland on the 27th inst., will also be selected.

## A MYSTERIOUS STABBING AFFRAY

G. Rigoni Receives Two Knife Thrusts that May Prove Fatal.

Who stabbed and attempted to assassinate Giacomo Rigoni opposite the old Mission church on Spain street last Monday night? That is a question which is now puzzling a whole lot of people in this town. Rigoni says that Luigi Lea did the stabbing. The accused stoutly denies that he was Rigoni's assailant, and his friends believe him and say that he will prove his innocence.

There was no eye-witness to the sanguinary encounter nor has any witness appeared living in the vicinity where Rigoni claims to have been attacked who heard any disturbance in the neighborhood, although it was barely 9 o'clock in the evening when Rigoni staggered down First-street East bathed in blood from two knife thrusts—one near the pit of the stomach and the other just below the left shoulder blade.

The wounded man was assisted into a near-by hotel and Dr. Leix was sent for. After the wounds had been examined and treated by the doctor he was asked if he knew who his assailant was and it was then that he accused Luigi Lea of the crime. Lea was later arrested by Deputy Sheriff Joe Ryan, who found him sitting in his room in the old Blue Wing building on Spain street. He brought the accused face to face with his accuser but he denied all knowledge of the stabbing. The officer, after searching the prisoner and finding only a small penknife upon him, locked him up. A search was then made of the premises of the accused man and a pocket knife with blood on it was found on the floor by officer Ryan.

District Attorney Clarence Lea came down from Santa Rosa Tuesday afternoon to take action in the matter but upon interviewing Dr. Leix decided to postpone a preliminary hearing of the accused until it is known to a certainty as to whether or not Rigoni will survive his wounds.

In the meantime Rigoni lies on a cot in Leix's sanitarium hovering between life and death, while the man he accuses of stabbing him is detained in the county jail at Santa Rosa awaiting a charge to be sworn against him.

Dr. Leix, assisted by Dr. Jesse of Santa Rosa, operated upon Rigoni Wednesday afternoon. It then developed that both knife thrusts were four or five inches in depth. The liver was punctured by the knife thrust in the back as was also the stomach by the stab below the breast bone. Slight hopes are entertained for his recovery.

Both Lea and Rigoni are well-known here. The latter has the reputation of being a man of violent temper while Lea has always been looked upon as a quiet and inoffensive person.

The accused man has retained the services of attorneys H. P. Mathewson and Frank Sprague of this place to defend him against the accusation.

The Daily Call and Index-Tribune \$9 per year for both papers.

## SONOMA HAS BIG LAW SUIT TO DEFEND

A Number of Prominent Citizens Sue City to Recover \$3,629.

There is a lot of trouble on the old town's hands. First came the suit commenced against the city by the Steiger Terra Cotta Company, now pending in the Supreme Court. This was followed by another law suit instituted by nineteen business men of the town to secure their rights and to have an unfair license ordinance passed by a former Board of City Trustees declared null and void. This suit is still hanging fire in the Superior Court of this county although it was decided very emphatically in favor of the nineteen contestants by the ballots of the people at the municipal election last April.

Now comes another law suit, also an inheritance from a former Board of Trustees, to recover the sum of \$3,629.85 from the city. This suit was commenced in the Superior Court of this county by a number of Sonoma's leading business men. These plaintiffs are L. Quarantoli, J. Fochetti, Chas. Dal Poggetto and Norman J. Heggie, representing the heirs of the late C. Aguilon. This suit, like the Steiger Terra Cotta suit, is the outcome of the building of our New City Hall.

Jas. B. Newman of Napa is also made a defendant to the suit.

The plaintiffs in their complaint allege among other things that on 13th day of September, 1906, L. Quarantoli, Chas. Dal Poggetto and J. Fochetti, plaintiffs, together with C. Aguilon (now deceased), were the owners of and entitled to the following described personal property situate in the City of Sonoma, viz: Eight hundred and twenty-six feet of cut stone, ashlar; 43 feet of cut stone, jambs; 55 feet of cut stone, archstones; 64 feet of cut stone, sills; 143 feet of cut stone, belt course; 96 feet of rough granite, 9 barrels of cement, cornice, etc., millwork, scaffolding, 15 loads of sand, 721 feet of rubble stone, 5,000 feet of pine flooring 1x6, 4,500 feet of redwood ceiling 1x4, 23,389 feet of sized lumber, 100 feet terra cotta flues, 2 chimney tops, iron shoes, etc., of the value of \$3,629.85.

"That on the 10th day of January, 1907, the defendants, City of Sonoma and James B. Newman, unlawfully took and carried away said property above described, then owned by plaintiffs, and converted and disposed of the same to their own use, to the damage of plaintiffs in the sum of \$3,629.85.

"That prior to the commencement of this action plaintiffs demanded of defendants the possession and return of said property herein above described, but to deliver the possession thereof defendants refused and still so refuse.

"That said defendants still unlawfully withhold and detain said property from the possession of the plaintiffs to their damage in the sum of \$3,629.85.

"That the said property above described has not been taken by defendant City of Sonoma for a tax, assessment or fine pursuant to a statute, or seized by defendants, or either of them, under execution against attachment on the property.

"Wherefore plaintiffs demand judgment against defendants for the sum of \$3,629.85, for their costs of suit, and for such other and further relief as may be proper in the premises."

The attorneys for plaintiffs are James C. Sims and J. A. Spinetti of San Francisco.

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## The Democratic Primary Election.

The Democrats will hold their primaries throughout the county on Wednesday afternoon, August 19th, to those delegates to their County Convention, which convenes in Santa Rosa on the 26th inst. The convention will consist of 175 delegates, three of whom will be chosen from this precinct, two from Agua Caliente, three from Glen Ellen and three from San Luis. These in turn will select delegates to their State and Congressional Conventions to be held in Stockton on September 3d.

## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES.

Doings of the Various Sets Throughout the Town and Valley

Charles Valenza, accompanied by his mother Mrs. Valenza, drove over to Petaluma last Monday.

Mrs. Sam Fisher and daughter Grace of Oakland were the guests of Dr. Leix and wife several days this week.

Mrs. F. Clewe and the Misses Doris and Elena Clewe and Miss Meta Stofen are sojourning at Santa Cruz.

The Broadway home of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Glaister was visited by the stork Sunday and a bright-eyed baby girl added to the family.

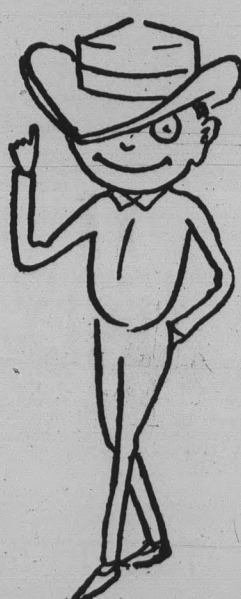
Mrs. Henry Moffat and family of San Francisco have returned home after a short visit at the G. S. Harris residence on Broadway. District Attorney Clarence Lea was here from Santa Rosa last Tuesday investigating the stabbing affray which occurred Monday night.

Mrs. J. B. Riebel and children of Santa Rosa returned to their home in that city Wednesday after a two-week's visit with Sonoma Valley relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Johnson are the proud parents of a ten-pound baby boy which arrived on Wednesday of last week. Dr. Hays, the attending physician, reports mother and babe doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Legallet and A. Legallet, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A. Maubailly and Mrs. R. Lavigne were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Froment last Sunday. Mr. Legallet is Vice President of the French Bank of San Francisco and enjoys the distinction of having been decorated with the Cross of the Legion of Honor of France. Mr. Maubailly before the earthquake in San Francisco was the editor of "The Reveil," a leading French paper of that city. Mrs. Legallet and Mrs. Froment are sisters.

## Wise Talks by the Office Boy.



I've just heard about a young man who don't live very far from Sonoma who thought he would order a suit of clothes from one of the Chicago mail order houses that was advertising big snuff, so he sent the price and when he got the suit he found the following note in the pocket of the pants: "Should this fall into the hands of a good looking young man who desires to correspond with a young lady of sweet disposition, kindly address," etc. So the young man got busy and sent a nice letter to the address he found, and in a few days got the following reply: "Sir: My wife received a letter from you addressed to her maiden name. Fifteen years ago she might have written the note you speak of, as she then worked in a paint factory. She is now my lawful wife, and the mother of six children, and if you don't stop writing love mush to her I'll take a trip to your town and make you look like ten cents worth of dog meat."

Moral—If you want good, new up-to-date clothes come straight to The Racket Store. No such hold-overs here.

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## PERISHED ON AN ARIZONA DESERT.

Fred. D. Spaulding While Automobiling Over a Hot Desert Waste Succumbs to Heat.

The genial, companionable Fred. D. Spaulding is no more. He died away off amid the burning sands of an Arizona desert waste on Friday of last week, which was one of the hottest days ever known on the Pacific coast.

With the spirit of adventure strong within him Mr. Spaulding left San Francisco about the middle of last month in an automobile to inspect a gold mine near Gila Bend, Arizona. He was accompanied by T. P. McCauley, a chauffeur of San Francisco. All went well with them until they reached Yuma on the Friday when he perished. They had made the run to that point in a little over six days. Here they halted for a brief rest and were cautioned not to continue on their journey until evening, as it was extremely hazardous to venture forth into the desert sands under a blazing noon-time Arizona sun.

Being anxious to reach their destination Spaulding and his companion left Yuma early in the afternoon for Gila Bend over a stretch of desert waste awful to contemplate, and just what impelled them to attempt the journey during the heat of the day is inexplicable. They plunged into the furnace-like desert, however, and several hours after leaving Yuma both men were discovered lying unconscious alongside the automobile. They lay flat upon their backs with the blazing sun beating mercilessly into their upturned faces. A small boy riding along the road made the discovery and as he lived less than two miles distant and soon reached the unconscious men.

A buggy was soon on the ground and after Mr. Spaulding and his companion had been placed in it they were driven with all speed to Blaisdell, a little town in the desert, where poor Spaulding passed away without regaining consciousness several hours after reaching there. McCauley was revived, however, and was able to give an incoherent account of their journey after leaving Yuma and its disastrous ending.

The machine had broken down and after the men had alighted and were working over it they were stricken down by the fierce rays of a cruel sun.

The remains of deceased arrived in San Francisco Tuesday morning and the long journey over a hot desert waste necessitated a hasty funeral and the remains were laid to rest in the family burial plot in Old Fellows cemetery on the afternoon of their arrival, the funeral being held under the auspices of the Yerba Buena Lodge, No. 15, I. O. O. F., of which deceased was a member.

Fred. D. Spaulding, who was born in San Francisco forty-five years ago, was widely-known in business and social circles not only in that city but throughout Northern California. He was a great devotee of out-door sports and a genuine lover of nature. Possessed of abundant means he had his yacht, his hunting preserves and automobile and although engaged in several large business ventures could always find time to indulge his propensities for camping, hunting, fishing, yachting and automobiling. Of a sunny disposition, handsome, generous, moderate in all things he was a most companionable man who was more than liked by those who knew him well.

Fred. Spaulding was wedded to Miss Annie Church, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Church of this valley about eighteen years ago, and was well-known to all the old families of the valley. He is survived by his wife and an only son, Leland Spaulding.

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## CALENDAR DAY IN SUPERIORE COURT

Judge Seawell Presides in Both Departments.

Both departments of the Superior Court were presided over Monday by Judge Emmet Seawell.

The final account was settled and distribution ordered of the estate of Albert Huntley.

The demurrer will be submitted on briefs in ten days in the suit of M. M. Brazil against the Petaluma and Santa Rosa Railroad.

Bomillo Torella was admitted to citizenship.

The suits of Jed Brockaway vs. The Olmsted Company and Ida Anna Getzsch vs. Albert Henry Getzsch, were continued to August 10th.

The will of Lossen Ross was admitted to probate and Frank Ross and J. T. Campbell were named as executors without bonds.

Nellie E. Todd was named administratrix on the estate of Geo. W. Titus in a bond of \$120. Samuel W. Purrington and Margaret Ballard were named executors of the will of Joseph Purrington without bonds.

A family allowance of \$75 per month was allowed and an order of sale of personal property was made in the estate of G. Gagliardo.

The report of the commission on partition of the estate of John Lukus was approved.

Albert J. Hockey was admitted to citizenship.

The petition of A. Vori was dropped from the calendar. In the suit of O. Fountain vs. Connecticut Mutual Fire Insurance Company, a stay of execution was granted to October 5th.

Mrs. Elizabeth Violet Woodson was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from George Frank Woodson on the ground of habitual intemperance. The custody of the minor children was awarded to plaintiff.

## Board of Equalization.

The Trustees of the City of Sonoma will meet on the second Monday in August, 1908, to-wit: on

August 10th, 1908,

at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the City Hall, in said city, and sit as a Board of Equalization and equalize the Assessment Roll, as provided in Section 872 of the Municipal Government Act, and in Ordinance No. 68 of said city.

The Board will continue in session from day to day until all the returns of the City Assessor shall have been ratified.

All persons desiring a reduction in the valuation of their property must make and file with said Board a written notification therefor, verified by oath, showing the facts upon which said reduction is sought.

JOS. B. SMALL, City Clerk. Sonoma, August 5, 1908.

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# SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE.

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## MARVELOUS MACHINES.

Some of the Wonderful Instruments Man Has Invented.

The sensitiveness of the human organism is gross indeed compared with that of the marvelous machines man has made. A photographic plate coupled with a telescope discovers millions of stars whose light the retina of the eye does not appreciate. The microphone makes the inaudible tread of a fly sound like the tramp of cavalrymen. The human heat sense cannot realize a difference of temperature beyond one-fifth of a degree, but the barometer, an instrument 200,000 times as sensitive as the skin, notes a difference of a millionth of a degree. A galvanometer flexes its finger at a current generated by simply deforming a drop of mercury so as to press it out of a spherical shape into that of an egg. The amount of work done by the wick of an eye equals 100,000,000,000 of the work marked on the scale of a delicate instrument, but even this performance is surpassed by the coherers of Branley of Paris by which the Hertz waves of wireless telegraphy are caught in their pulsings through space. The range of impressions which we get from living objects is exceedingly small. An ordinary chemist's balance is some million times as sensitive and weighs down the two hundredth part of a milligram. Without such instruments as these we should know far less about the world than they place within our reach. They make it evident that our sense organs give us reports of but a comparatively small number of comparatively gross stimuli.—Chicago Tribune.

## BULWER LYTTON.

He Was a Grottesque Figure According to This Picture.

The late Dr. Edward Vaughan Kennedy, who appeared as counsel for the Tichborne claimant, was well acquainted with many of the celebrities of his time. In the memoirs which his daughter has published there are some piquant passages. Here is what he had to say in his diary about Bulwer Lytton:

"Dined tonight with the lord chief justice, Lord Houghton, Bulwer Lytton and other senators and ladies. Bulwer Lytton is a clown. He was shabbily dressed and slided into the room with slouching air and gait. He held his hat in his hand as though about to drop it and looked as though he did not know what to do with his legs. He gaped, his eye was lachrymated, and he said nothing. It is almost impossible to believe he wrote the works which pass under his name. His wife says he did not write them. He has a great nose like Fitzell or Randolph, but not so red as the latter's. He has cut off his beard, and the hairs are scanty and scrubby down his lank Don Quixote jaws. I expected a fine gentleman, perhaps a fop like his own Devereux or like Bolingbroke, and I saw a crumpled fossil. He took Mrs. Round down to dinner, but never spoke a word to her, remaining silent or mumbling to himself. I think Cockburn was ashamed of him, and, although he asked him especially to meet me, he did not venture to solicit my opinion of him. But I told it to him. And he was ashamed of his guest."

## He Asked.

He had been courting a girl for a long time. It happened on Sunday night after church. They were sitting on the sofa, and she looked with ineffable tenderness into his noble blue eyes.

"Tom," she murmured, with a tremor in her voice, "didn't you tell me once you would be willing to do any act of heroism for my sake?"

"Yes, Mary, and I gladly reiterate that statement now," he replied in confident tones.

"Well, Tom, I want you to do something really heroic for me."

"Speak, darling! What is it?"

"Ask me to be your wife. We've been fooling long enough."

## Boys and Girls of Arabia.

A traveler in Arabia who passed a year among the people tells that he did not see a single doll in the hands of a girl nor observe one playing at "keeping house" in any way. Neither did the traveler notice an Arabian boy playing at ball or marbles.

Speaking with a grave look on the subject, the latter said to the stranger: "You must be queer people in the west to let your young folks get their hands dirtied in sport!"

The Arabian lads, it seems, walk about trying to look like little men as much as they can when not engaged in acts of duty or in learning essential things.

## Attracting Attention.

"Remember, a book play needs booming."

"I'm getting some of the best citizens to say a good word for our production."

"Bah! You'll never make a press agent. What you want to do is to get 'em to denounce it!"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## The London Bachelor.

The married man lives scientifically. He never pays a bill twice or thrice over because he has lost the receipt. The bachelor lives unscientifically. He is robbed right and left. He is the prey of every footpad that lurks behind counters.—London Sketch.

## Ignorance.

Teacher—I am surprised that you should have such a bad lesson, George. I expected better things of you. Pupil—My pa says it is the unexpected that always happens. Fanny a teacher didn't know that—Boston Transcript.

## Who Knows?

Alice tolled slowly up the stairs, paper and pencil in hand, ready to ask questions of the first person she encountered. Being just six, she was at the inquiring age and endeavored to make everybody's life a burden to them.

The first person she encountered was Bridget, the upstairs girl.

"Pwease, Bwidge," she piped, "gife me ve letters of ve alphabet."

Slowly and impressively Bridget complied.

"An' now, Bwidge," proceeded Alice, "pwease gife me ve letters vat ain't in ve alphabet."

Bridget thought. Then she thought again. She was puzzled.

Finally she said:

"I'll tell ye tomorrow," and went down to ask cook.—London Queen.

## The Colonies—in English Eyes.

The average Englishman, and it is surprising in what numbers he exists, has a vague conception of colonies generally. He has some hazy notions of Virginian plantations and transportation settlements and crown colonies where a peppery military man of the old school takes up the white man's burden by holding autocratic sway over unclad barbarians. The conceptions are more often than not fifty years behind the times.—Sydney Lone Hand.

## The Oldest Jury.

The oldest Greek poet has left us a picture of what the jury was in his time. The primitive court is sitting, and the question is "guilty" or "not guilty." The old men of the community give their opinions in turn. The adjudicating democracy, the commons, standing round about, applaud the opinions which strike them most, and the applause determines the decision. Such was probably the earliest form of jury.

## The British Drama.

It is absolutely true that the British public goes to the theater to be amused, not to be instructed. It considers that it pays its money to be amused, and it suddenly resents the presence of any powder in the jam. It is when this attitude changes that the great renaissance of the British drama will arrive.—London Graphic.

## Hospitality.

"Use one teaspoonful of this cocoa in hot water every day. The can will last thirty days."

"But suppose there's company."

"Why, then, of course, use more hot water."—Fliegende Blätter.

## Advantage of Position.

"Where have you been all afternoon?"

"Music hall—piano recital."

"Infernal tiresome, wasn't it?"

"Not at all. I was the pianist."—Chicago Tribune.

Fine feathers do not always make fine birds. Sometimes they make a little goose.—Dallas News.

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## So There Is.

"I didn't know you intended to move."

"We don't."

"But your wife told me she was out looking at houses all day yesterday."

"Well, that's true enough, but don't you know there is a vast difference between looking at houses and looking for houses?"

## Not Very Consoling.

Humorist—The editor makes fun of my jokes. Spacer—Well, I don't see that you have any kick coming. That's more than you are able to do.—Chicago News.

He that blows upon dust fills his eyes with it.—Danish Proverb

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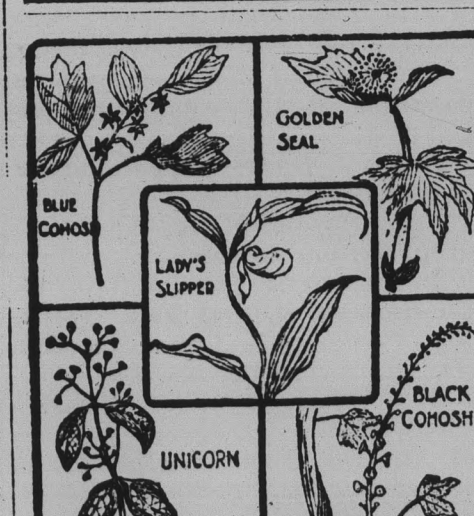
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| 4:02 P M      | San Rafael            | 7:43 P M      |
|               | Intermediates         |               |
| 11:20 A M     | Glen Ellen            | 7:06 A M      |
| 7:43 P M      | Intermediates         | 4:02 P M      |
| 7:06 A M      | Novato                | 11:20 A M     |
| 4:02 P M      | Petaluma              | 7:43 P M      |
|               | Intermediates         |               |
| 7:06 A M      | Clearlake             | 11:20 A M     |
| 4:02 P M      | Healdsburg            | 7:43 P M      |
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